EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORTS
BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

JUNE 30, 2007

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Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District Officials

Name	<u>Title</u>	Term Expires
	Board of Education	
	(Before September 2006 Election)	
	Possel don't	2007
James Lueken	President Vice President	2007
Randall Mescher Joan Kerns	Board Member	2007
Joan Kerns Joe Johnson	Board Member	2006
Scot Christiansen	Board Member	2008
SCOL CHIISCIANSEN	Board Member	2000
	Board of Education (After September 2006 Election)	
Randall Mescher	President	2007
James Lueken	Vice President	2007
Joan Kerns	Board Member	2009
Steve Schwietert	Board Member	2009
Scot Christiansen	Board Member	2008
	School Officials	
Galen Reinsmoen	Superintendent	2007
Martha Romig	District Secretary	2007
-	and Business Manager	
Marc Casey	Attorney	2007

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Education of the Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District, Edgewood, Iowa as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of District officials. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District at June 30, 2007, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, for the year ended in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued our report dated March 14, 2008 on our consideration of the Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 4 through 12 and 36 and 37 are not required parts of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary

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information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. We did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's basic financial statements. We previously audited, in accordance with the standards referred to in the second paragraph of this report, the financial statements for the three years ended June 30, 2006 (which are not presented herein) and expressed an unqualified opinion on those financial statements. Other supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 4, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

NOILE, CORNMAN & JOHNSON, P.C.

March 14, 2008

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which follow.

2007 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- General Fund revenues increased from \$4,529,159 in fiscal 2006 to \$4,730,714 in fiscal 2007, while General Fund expenditures increased from \$4,505,151 in fiscal 2006 to \$4,761,170 in fiscal 2007. This resulted in a decrease in the District's General Fund balance from \$655,258 in fiscal 2006 to \$624,802 in fiscal 2007.
- The increase in General Fund revenues was attributable to an increase in revenues received from tuition and state sources in fiscal 2007. The increase in expenditures was due to an increase in the negotiated salaries and benefits.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information, as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the District's financial activities.

The Government-wide Financial Statements consist of a Statement of Net Assets and a Statement of Activities. These provide information about the activities of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District as a whole and present an overall view of the District's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the most significant funds. The remaining statements provide financial information about activities for which Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District acts solely as an agent or custodial for the benefit of those outside of the School District.

Notes to the financial statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Required Supplementary Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the District's budget for the year.

Other Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the nonmajor funds.

Figure A-1 shows how the various parts of this annual report are arranged and relate to one another.

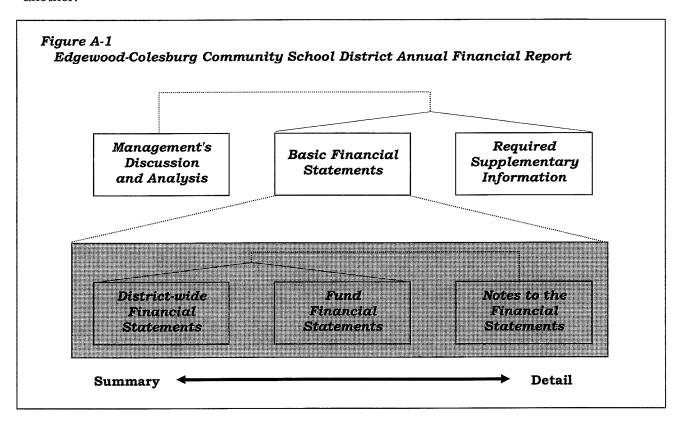


Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the District's activities they cover and the types of information they contain.

	Government-wide		Fund Statements		
	Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds	
Scope	Entire district (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the district that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as special education and building maintenance	Activities the district operates similar to private businesses: food services and adult education	Instances in which the district administers resources on behalf of someone else, such as scholarship programs	
Required financial statements	 Statement of net assets Statement of activities 	Balance sheet Statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances	Statement of Net Assets Statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets Statement of cash flows	Statement of fiduciary net assets Statement of changes in fiduciary net assets	
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	
Type of asset/ liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long- term	Generally assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets or long-term liabilities included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can	
Type of inflow/ outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and the related liability is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All additions and deductions during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	

REPORTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the District's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide financial statements report the District's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets – the difference between the District's assets and liabilities – are one way to measure the District's financial health or position. Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating. To assess the District's overall health, additional non-financial factors, such as changes in the District's property tax base and the condition of school buildings and other facilities, need to be considered.

In the government-wide financial statements, the District's activities are divided into two categories:

- Governmental activities: Most of the District's basic services are included here, such as regular
 and special education, transportation and administration. Property tax and state aid finance
 most of these activities.
- Business-type activities: The District charges fees to help cover the costs of certain services it provides. The District's school nutrition program is included here.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds – not the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs.

Some funds are required by state law and by bond covenants. The District establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes, such as accounting for student activity funds or to show that it is properly using certain revenues such as federal grants.

The District has three kinds of funds:

1) Governmental funds: Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which generally focus on (1) how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs.

The District's governmental funds include the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, Capital Projects Fund and Debt Service Fund.

The required financial statements for the governmental funds include a balance sheet and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances.

2) Proprietary funds: Services for which the District charges a fee are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds are reported in the same way as the government-wide financial statements. The District's enterprise funds, one type of proprietary fund, are the same as its business-type activities, but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows. The District currently has one enterprise fund, the School Nutrition Fund.

The required financial statements for the proprietary funds include a statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets and a statement of cash flows.

3) *Fiduciary fund:* The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets that belong to others. These funds include the Private-Purpose Trust Fund.

• Private-Purpose Trust Fund – The District accounts for outside donations for scholarships for individual students in this fund.

The District is responsible for ensuring the assets reported in the fiduciary funds are used only for their intended purposes and by those to whom the assets belong. The District excludes these activities from the government-wide financial statements because it cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

The required financial statements for fiduciary funds include a statement of fiduciary net assets and a statement of changes in fiduciary net assets.

Reconciliations between the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements follow the fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Figure A-3 below provides a summary of the District's total net assets at June 30, 2007 compared to June 30, 2006.

Figure A-3
Condensed Statement of Net Assets

Condensed Statement of Net Assets								
		Governn	Business-Type		Total		Total	
		Activi	ties	Activ	vities	School	District	Change
		June	30,	June	30,	June	30,	June 30,
		2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2006-07
Current and other assets	\$	4,140,358	4,135,674	55,959	39,535	4,196,317	4,175,209	0.51%
Capital assets		5,124,786	5,025,791	25,905	29,210	5,150,691	5,055,001	1.89%
Total assets		9,265,144	9,161,465	81,864	68,745	9,347,008	9,230,210	1.27%
Long-term obligations		3,014,299	3,241,999	0	0	3,014,299	3,241,999	-7.02%
Other liabilities		3,129,491	3,097,297	0	32,505	3,129,491	3,129,802	-0.01%
Total liabilities		6,143,790	6,339,296	0	32,505	6,143,790	6,371,801	-3.58%
Net assets:								
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt		2,216,325	2,031,853	25,905	29,210	2,242,230	2,061,063	8.79%
Restricted		295,275	119,470	0	0	295,275	119,470	147.15%
Unrestricted		609,754	670,846	55,959	7,030	665,713	677,876	-1.79%
Total net assets	\$	3,121,354	2,822,169	81,864	36,240	3,203,218	2,858,409	12.06%

The District's combined net assets increased by \$344,809 or 12.06% over the prior year. The largest portion of the District's net assets is the invested in capital assets, less the related debt. The debt related to the investment in capital assets is liquidated with sources other than capital assets.

Restricted net assets represent resources that are subject to external restrictions, constitutional provisions or enabling legislation on how they can be used. The District's restricted net assets increased approximately \$175,805 or 147.15% over the prior year.

Unrestricted net assets-the part of net assets that can be used to finance day-by-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation or other legal requirements- decreased approximately \$12,163 or 1.79% over the prior year.

Figure A-4 shows the changes in net assets for the years ended June 30, 2007 and 2006.

Figure A-4

		Changes	of Net Ass	ets				
	Governmental			Business-Type		Total		Total
		Activities		Activities		School District		Change
	_	June	30,	Jun	e 30,	Jun	e 30,	June 30,
		2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2006-07
Revenues:								
Program revenues:								
Charges for services	\$	950,114	827,043	177,611	167,147	1,127,725	994,190	13.43%
Operating grants and contributions and								
restricted interest		647,754	670,155	125,640	114,929	773,394	785,084	-1.49%
General revenues:								
Property tax		1,659,197	1,591,010	0	0	1,659,197	1,591,010	4.29%
Local option sales and service tax		296,553	235,045	0	0	296,553	235,045	26.17%
Unrestricted state grants		1,945,259	1,860,944	0	0	1,945,259	1,860,944	4.53%
Other		145,498	140,662	345	206	145,843	140,868	3.53%
Transfers		(10,128)	(21,840)	0	21,840	(10,128)	0	-100.00%
Total revenues		5,634,247	5,303,019	303,596	304,122	5,937,843	5,607,141	5.90%
Program expenses:								
Governmental activities:								
Instructional		3,312,243	3,095,398	0	0	3,312,243	3,095,398	7.01%
Support services		1,588,883	1,574,851	0	3,713	1,588,883	1,578,564	0.65%
Non-instructional programs		0		257,972	278,186	257,972	278,186	-7.27%
Other expenses		433,936	423,841	0	0	433,936	423,841	2.38%
Total expenses		5,335,062	5,094,090	257,972	281,899	5,593,034	5,375,989	4.04%
Change in net assets		299,185	208,929	45,624	22,223	344,809	231,152	49.17%
Net assets beginning of year		2,822,169	2,613,240	36,240	14,017	2,858,409	2,627,257	8.80%
Net assets end of year	\$	3,121,354	2,822,169	81,864	36,240	3,203,218	2,858,409	12.06%

In fiscal 2007, property tax and unrestricted state grants account for 64% of the revenue from governmental activities while charges for services and operating grants and contributions account for nearly 100% of the revenue from business type activities.

The District's total revenues were approximately \$5.9 million of which \$5.6 million was for governmental activities and \$.3 million was for business type activities.

As shown in Figure A-4, the District as a whole experienced an increase of 5.90% in revenues and a 4.04% increase in expenses. The increase in expenses was related to the increase in instructional costs during the year.

Governmental Activities

Revenues for governmental activities were \$5,634,247 and expenses were \$5,335,062.

The following table presents the total and net cost of the District's major governmental activities: instruction, support services and other expenses.

Figure A-5
Total and Net Cost of Governmental Activities

Total Cost of Services			Net	t Cost of Serv	vices
 2007	2006	Change 2006-07	2007	2006	Change 2006-2007
\$ 3,312,243	3,095,398	7.01%	1,882,872	1,760,505	6.95%
1,588,883	1,574,851	0.89%	1,588,883	1,574,851	0.89%
433,936	423,841	2.38%	265,439	261,536	1.49%
\$ 5,335,062	5,094,090	4.73%	3,737,194	3,596,892	3.90%
\$ \$	2007 \$ 3,312,243 1,588,883 433,936	2007 2006 \$ 3,312,243 3,095,398 1,588,883 1,574,851 433,936 423,841	Change 2007 2006 Change 2006-07 \$ 3,312,243 3,095,398 7.01% 1,588,883 1,574,851 0.89% 433,936 423,841 2.38%	Change 2007 2006 2006-07 2007 \$ 3,312,243 3,095,398 7.01% 1,882,872 1,588,883 1,574,851 0.89% 1,588,883 433,936 423,841 2.38% 265,439	Change 2007 2006 2006-07 2007 2006 \$ 3,312,243 3,095,398 7.01% 1,882,872 1,760,505 1,588,883 1,574,851 0.89% 1,588,883 1,574,851 433,936 423,841 2.38% 265,439 261,536

- The cost financed by users of the District's programs was \$950,114.
- Federal and state governments subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions totaling \$647,754.
- The net cost of governmental activities was financed with \$1,659,197 in property taxes, \$296,553 in local option sales tax services, and \$1,945,259 in unrestricted state grants, \$93,295 in investment earnings and other general revenues of \$52,203.

Business-Type Activities

Revenues of the District's business-type activities were \$303,596 and expenses were \$257,972. The District's business-type activities include the School Nutrition Fund. Revenues of these activities were comprised of charges for service, federal and state reimbursements and investment income.

INDIVIDUAL FUND ANALYSIS

As previously noted, the Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The financial performance of the District as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds, as well. As the District completed the year, its governmental funds reported combined fund balance of \$920,379, compared to last year's ending fund balances of \$964,453.

Governmental Fund Highlights

- The District's General Fund financial position is the product of many factors. An increase in revenues was not enough to offset the increase in expenditures which ensured the General Fund balance to decrease.
- The Capital Projects Fund balance decreased from \$183,983 in fiscal 2006 to a balance of \$179,526 for fiscal 2007. This decrease is primarily due to the District transferring \$116,285 to the Debt Service Fund for debt relief.

Proprietary Fund Highlights

The School Nutrition Fund net assets increased from \$36,240 at June 30, 2006 to \$81,864 at June 30, 2007, representing an increase of approximately 125.89%.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The District's receipts were \$212,872 more than budgeted receipts, a variance of 3.7%. The most significant variance resulted from the District receiving more from local sources than originally anticipated.

Total expenditures were less than budgeted, primarily to the District's budget for the General Fund. It is the District's practice to budget expenditures at the maximum authorized spending authority for the General Fund. The District then manages or controls General Fund spending through its line-item budget. As a result, the District's certified budget should always exceed actual expenditures for the year.

CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At June 30, 2007, the District had invested \$5,150,691, net of accumulated depreciation, in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, athletic facilities, computers, audio-visual equipment and transportation equipment. (See Figure A-6) More detailed information about capital assets is available in Note 6 to the financial statements. Depreciation expense for the year was \$176,871.

The original cost of the District's capital assets was \$7,582,420. Governmental funds account for \$7,447,654 with the remainder of \$134,766 in the Proprietary, School Nutrition Fund.

The largest percentage change in capital asset activity during the year occurred in the machinery and equipment category. The District's machinery and equipment increased during the year due to the new bus purchases that were made.

Figure A-6
Capital Assets Net of Depreciation

	Capital Assets, Net of Depreciation							
	Governmental		Business-Type		To	Total		
		Activi	ties	Activities		School District		Change
		June :	30,	June 30,		June 30,		June 30,
		2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2006-07
					•			
Land	\$	16,772	16,772	0	0	16,772	16,772	0.00%
Buildings		4,472,238	4,569,422	0	0	4,472,238	4,569,422	-2.13%
Improvements other than buildings		331,238	240,761	0	0	331,238	240,761	37.58%
Machinery and equipment		304,538	198,836	25,905	29,210	330,443	228,046	44.90%
Total	\$	5,124,786	5,025,791	25,905	29,210	5,150,691	5,055,001	1.89%

Long-Term Debt

At June 30, 2007, the District had \$3,014,299 in general obligation and other long-term debt outstanding. This represents a decrease of 7.02% from last year. (See Figure A-7) Additional information about the District's long-term debt is presented in Note 7 to the financial statements.

Figure A-7
Outstanding Long-Term Obligations

Outstanding Long-Term Obligations								
	Total	Total School District						
	School Di							
	June 3	June 30,						
	2007	2007 2006						
General obligation bonds	\$ 2,875,000 3	3,125,000	-8.00%					
Revenue bonds	18,854	25,139	-25.00%					
Computer loan	14,607	27,860	-47.57%					
Early retirement	105,838	64,000	65.37%					
Totals	\$ 3,014,299 3	,241,999	-7.02%					

FACTORS BEARING ON THE DISTRICT'S FUTURE

At the time these financial statements were prepared and audited, the District was aware of several existing circumstances that could significantly affect its financial health in the future:

- The budget guarantee, (whereby Districts are guaranteed 100% of their current budget for the upcoming year) is being phased out over a ten-year period beginning in fiscal year 2005.
- Low allowable growth over several years and enrollment decreases is negatively impacting the District's spending authority. Contractual increases and program changes cannot be made without thorough consideration of our unspent authorized budget.
- Continued budget concerns at state level will affect future projections. The District has been forced to shift funding to property taxes.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide the District's citizens, taxpayers, customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Martha Romig, Board Secretary, Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District, 403 W. Union St., P.O. Box 315, Edgewood, Iowa, 52042.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2007

	Corremental	Duginosa tupo	
	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Assets	ACCIVICIES	1100111100	10041
Cash and cash equivalents:			
ISCAP(Note 5)	\$ 1,178,769	0	1,178,769
Other	1,103,503	32,481	1,135,984
Receivables			
Property tax:			
Delinquent	30,196	0	30,196
Succeeding year	1,564,286	0	1,564,286
Income surtax	100,831	0	100,831
Accounts	577	1,647	2,224
Accrued ISCAP interest(Note 5)	8,727	0	8,727
Interfund	21,050	(21,050)	0
Due from other governments	132,419	0	132,419
Inventories	0	42,881	42,881
Capital assets, net of accumulated		•	
depreciation (Note 6)	5,124,786	25,905	5,150,691
Total Assets	9,265,144	81,864	9,347,008
Liabilities	10 400	0	10,490
Accounts payable	10,490 348,772	0	348,772
Salaries and benefits payable	1,181,000	0	1,181,000
ISCAP warrants payable(Note 5) ISCAP accrued interest payable(Note 5)		0	7,418
·	7,418 7,182	0	7,182
ISCAP unamortized premium	10,343	. 0	10,343
Accrued interest payable Deferred revenue:	10,343	. 0	10,545
Succeeding year property tax	1,564,286	0	1,564,286
Long-term liabilities (Note 7):	1,301,200		1,001,200
Portion due within one year:			
General obligation bonds	270,000	0	270,000
Revenue bonds	6,285	.0	6,285
Computer loan	14,607	0	14,607
Early Retirement	28,000	0	28,000
Portion due after one year:	20,000	· ·	20,000
General obligation bonds	2,605,000	0	2,605,000
Revenue bonds	12,569	0	12,569
Early Retirement	77,838	0	77,838
Total Liabilities	6,143,790	0	6,143,790
TOTAL HIGHLICIAN	0,113,130		0/110/750
Net Assets			
Invested in capital assets, net of			
related debt	2,216,325	25,905	2,242,230
Restricted for:			
Market factor	4,054	0	4,054
Debt service	5,370	0	5,370
Capital projects	179,526	0	179,526
Other special revenue	106,325	0	106,325
Unrestricted	609,754	55,959	665,713
Total Net Assets	\$ 3,121,354	81,864	3,203,218

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

	***************************************	Progr	am Revenues	Net	e	
			Operating Grants,		nanges in Net Ass	
		Charges for	Contributions and Restricted	Governmental	Business-Type	
	Expenses	Services	Interest	Activities	Activities	Total
Functions/Programs						
Governmental activities:						
Instruction:						
Regular instruction	\$ 2,171,226	621,162	450,563	(1,099,501)	0	(1,099,501)
Special instruction	625,455	106,931	28,694	(489,830)	0	(489,830)
Other instruction	515,562	222,021	0	(293,541)	0	(293,541)
	3,312,243	950,114	479,257	(1,882,872)	0	(1,882,872)
Support services:						
Student services	121,225	0	0	(121, 225)	0	(121, 225)
Instructional staff services		-	0		0	
Administration services	116,857	-	0	(116,857)	0	(116,857)
	569,857	U	U	(569,857)	U	(569,857)
Operation and maintenance		•		(104 050)		(404 050)
of plant services	481,362		0	(481,362)	0	(481, 362)
Transportation services	299,582		0	(299, 582)	0	(299,582)
	1,588,883	0	0	(1,588,883)	0	(1,588,883)
Other expenditures:						
Long-term debt interest	121,988	0	0	(121,988)	0	(121,988)
AEA flowthrough	168,497	0	168,497	0	0	0
Depreciation(unallocated)*	143,451	0	0	(143, 451)	0	(143, 451)
	433,936		168,497	(265, 439)	0	(265, 439)
Total governmental activities	5,335,062	950,114	647,754	(3,737,194)	0	(3,737,194)
Business-Type activities:						
Non-instructional programs:						
Nutrition services	257,972	177,611	125,640	0	45,279	45,279
Total business-type activities	257,972	177,611	125,640	0	45,279	45,279
Total Dustriess type accivities	231/312	111,011	123,040		13,279	10,210
Total	\$ 5,593,034	1,127,725	773,394	(3,737,194)	45,279	(3,691,915)
General Revenues and Transfers:						
General Revenues:						
Local tax for:						
General purposes			Ş	1,368,513	0	1,368,513
Debt service				253,417	0	253,417
Capital outlay				37,267	0	37,267
Local option sales and services				296,553	0	296,553
Unrestricted state grants				1,945,259	0	1,945,259
Unrestricted investment earnings				93,295	345	93,640
Other				52,203	0	52,203
Transfers				(10,128)	0	(10,128)
Total general revenues and transfers				4,036,379	345	4,036,724
Changes in net assets				299,185	45,624	344,809
Net assets beginning of year			. -	2,822,169	36,240	2,858,409
Net assets end of year			Ş	3,121,354	81,864	3,203,218

 $^{^{\}star}$ This amount excludes the depreciation that is included in the direct expense of various programs.

SEE NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2007

		Other	
		Nonmajor	
		Governmental	
	General	Funds	Total
Assets			
Cash and pooled investments:			
ISCAP(Note 5)	\$ 1,178,769	0	1,178,769
Other	880,229	223,274	1,103,503
Receivables:			
Property tax:			
Delinquent	23,05	7,142	30,196
Succeeding year	1,155,70	408,582	1,564,286
Income surtax	100,83	. 0	100,831
Interfund	37,150	0	37,150
Accounts	57	0	577
Accrued ISCAP interest(Note 5)	8,72	0	8,727
Due from other governments	51,04	81,373	132,419
Total Assets	\$ 3,436,08	720,371	4,156,458
Liabilities and Fund Balances			
Liabilities:			
Interfund payable	\$ (16,100
Accounts payable	10,378	3 112	10,490
Salaries and benefits payable	348,772	2 0	348,772
<pre>ISCAP warrants payable(Note 5)</pre>	1,181,000	0	1,181,000
ISCAP accrued interest payable(Note 5)	7,418	0	7,418
ISCAP unamortized premium	7,182	2 0	7,182
Deferred revenue:			
Succeeding year property tax	1,155,70	408,582	1,564,286
Income surtax	100,833	. 0	100,831
Total liabilities	2,811,28	424,794	3,236,079
Fund balances:			
Reserved for:			
Debt Service	(-,	5,370
Market factor	4,05		4,054
Unreserved	620,748		910,955
Total fund balances	624,802		920,379
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 3,436,08	720,371	4,156,458

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2007

Total fund balances of governmental funds (page 15)	\$ 920,379
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds.	5,124,786
Accrued interest payable on long-term liabilities is not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, is not reported as a liability in the governmental funds.	(10,343)
Accounts receivable income surtax, are not yet available to finance expenditures of the current fiscal period.	100,831
Long-term liabilities, including bonds, computer loans and early retirement, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.	 (3,014,299)
Net assets of governmental activites(page 13)	\$ 3,121,354

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

	Other			
	Nonmajor			
	Governmental			
		General	Funds	Total
REVENUES:				
Local sources:				
Local tax	\$	1,267,889	671,030	1,938,919
Tuition		728,093	0	728,093
Other		141,719	225,800	367,519
State sources		2,363,543	0	2,363,543
Federal sources		229,470	0	229,470
Total revenues		4,730,714	896,830	5,627,544
EXPENDITURES:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular instruction		2,120,330	28,686	2,149,016
Special instruction		629,351	0	629,351
Other instruction		317,088	211,176	528,264
		3,066,769	239,862	3,306,631
Support services:				
Student services		121,225	0	121,225
Instructional staff services		116,857	0	116,857
Administration services		571,418	1,228	572,646
Operation and maintenance				
of plant services		376,023	174,240	550,263
Transportation services		340,381	15,869	356 , 250
		1,525,904	191,337	1,717,241
Other expenditures:		_		
Facilities acquisitions		0	77,862	77,862
Long-term debt:				
Principal		0	269,538	269,538
Interest		0	121,721	121,721
AEA flowthrough		168,497	0	168,497
		168,497	469,121	637,618
Total expenditures		4,761,170	900,320	5,661,490
Deficiency of revenues				
under expenditures		(30,456)	(3,490)	(33,946)
under expenditures		(30,430)	(3,490)	(33, 340)
Other financing sources(uses):				
Transfers in		0	132,385	132,385
Transfers out		0	(142,513)	(142,513)
Total other financing sources(uses)	*************	0	(10,128)	(10,128)
Total Other Illiancing Sources (uses)			(10,120)	(10,120)
Net change in fund balances		(30,456)	(13,618)	(44,074)
Fund balance beginning of year		655,258	309,195	964,453
Fund balance end of year	\$	624,802	295,577	920,379

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EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES JUNE 30, 2007

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds(page 17)

\$ (44,074)

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, those costs are reported in the Statement of Net Assets and are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense in the Statement of Activities. The amounts of capital outlays and depreciation expense in the year are as follows:

Capital outlays	\$ 271 , 062	
Depreciation expense	(172,067)	98,995

Repayment of long-term liabilities is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets. Current year repayments are as follows:

269,538

Interest on long-term debt in the Statement of Activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recorded as an expenditure in the funds when due. In the Statement of Activities, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.

(267)

Income surtax accounts receivable is not available to finance expenditures of the current year period in the governmental funds.

16,831

Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds, as follows:

Early Retirement (41,838)

Changes in net assets of governmental activities (page 14)

\$ 299,185

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUND JUNE 30, 2007

	School Nutrition	
Assets		
Cash and pooled investments	\$ 32,481	L
Accounts receivable	1,647	7
Inventories	42,881	L
Capital assets, net of		
accumulated depreciation	25 , 905	5
Total Assets	102,914	1
Liabilities	•	
Interfund payable	21,050)
Net Assets		
Invested in capital assets	25,905	5
Unrestricted	55,959	<u>} </u>
Total Net Assets	\$ 81,864	1

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUND YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

	School Nutrition
Operating revenues:	
Local sources:	
Charges for services	\$ 177,611
Operating expenses:	
Non-instructional programs:	
Food service operations:	
Salaries	97 , 195
Benefits	14,148
Services	28
Supplies	141,654
Other	143
Depreciation	4,804
Total operating expenses	257,972
Operating loss	(80,361)
Non-operating revenues:	
State sources	3,652
Federal sources	121,988
Interest income	345_
Total non-operating revenues	125,985
Net income	45,624
Net assets beginning of year	36,240
Net assets end of year	\$ 81,864

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

		School
	N	<u>utrition</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Cash received from sale of lunches and breakfasts	\$	173,204
Cash received from miscellaneous operating activities		1,305
Cash payments to employees for services		(111,343)
Cash payments to suppliers for goods or services		(149,278)
Net cash used in operating activities		(86,112)
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities:		
Loan from General Fund		(10,000)
State grants received		3,652
Federal grants received		101,764
Net cash provided by non-capital financing		
activities		95,416
Cash flows from capital and related financing		
activities: Purchase of capital assets		(1,499)
ruichase of Capital assets		(1)133)
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Interest on investments		345
Net cash provided by investing activities		345
•		
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		8,150
		04 001
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		24,331
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	32,481
cash and cash equivarenes at one of jour		
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used		
in operating activities:		
Operating loss	Ş	(80,361)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net	•	(,,
cash used in operating activities:		
<u>-</u>		20,224
Commodities consumed		•
Depreciation		4,804
Increase in inventories		(27,677)
Increase in accounts receivable		(1,647)
Decrease in unearned revenue		(1,455)
Net cash used in operating activities	\$	(86,112)
DECONOTITED OF CACH AND CACH POSTUATENED AS VEAD		
RECONCILIATION OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT YEAR		
END TO SPECIFIC ASSETS INCLUDED ON COMBINED BALANCE		
SHEET:		
Current assets:		
Cash and pooled investments	\$	32,481
cash and pooted investments		,

NON-CASH INVESTING, CAPITAL AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES:

During the year ended June 30, 2007, the District received Federal commodities valued at \$20,224.

SEE NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUND JUNE 30, 2007

	Private Purpose
	Trust
	Scholarship
Assets	
Cash and pooled investments	\$ 16,147
Liabilities	0
Net assets	
Restricted for scholarships	6,066
Unrestricted	10,081
Total Net assets	\$ 16,147

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUND YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

	Private	Purpose
	Tr	ust
	Schol	arship
Additions: Local sources: Interest Income	\$	375
Deductions: Scholarships awarded		422
Loss before other financing source	es	(47)
Other Financing Sources: Transfer in		10,128
Change in net assets		10,081
Net assets beginning of year		6,066
Net assets end of year	\$	16,147

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2007

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa and operates public schools for children in grades kindergarten through twelve and special education pre-kindergarten. Additionally, the district either operates or sponsors various adult education programs. These courses include remedial education as well as vocational and recreational courses. The geographic are served includes the Cities of Edgewood and Colesburg, Iowa, and the predominate agricultural territory in Delaware and Clayton Counties. The district is governed by a Board of Education whose members are elected on a non-partisan basis.

The District's financial statements are prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District has included all funds, organizations, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The District has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable, and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that exclusion would cause the District's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and (1) the ability of the District to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on the District. The Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District has no component units which meet the Governmental Accounting Standards Board criteria.

Jointly Governed Organizations - The District participates in a jointly governed organization that provides services to the District but do not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. The District is a member of the Delaware and Clayton Counties Assessors' Conference Board.

B. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements - The Statement of Net
Assets and the Statement of Activities report information on
all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. For the
most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed
from these statements. Governmental activities, which
normally are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues,
are reported separately from business-type activities, which
rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The Statement of Net Assets presents the District's nonfiduciary assets and liabilities, with the difference

reported as net assets. Net assets are reported in three categories:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by outstanding balances for bonds, notes, and other debt that are attributed to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

Restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net assets use are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net asset consist of net assets that do not meet the definition of the two preceding categories. Unrestricted net assets often have constraints on resources that are imposed by management, but can be removed or modified.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants, contributions and interest that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements - Separate financial statements are provided for governmental and proprietary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the Government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as other nonmajor governmental funds.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. All general tax revenues and other receipts that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating expenses, including instructional, support and other costs.

The District reports the following proprietary fund:

The District's proprietary funds are the Enterprise, School Nutrition Fund. The School Nutrition Fund is used to account for the food service operations of the District.

The District also reports fiduciary funds which focus on net assets and changes in net assets. The District's fiduciary funds include the following:

The Private Purpose Trust Fund is used to account for assets held by the District under trust agreements which require income earned to be used to benefit individuals through scholarship awards.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The government-wide, proprietary and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the "economic resources measurement focus". The Government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property tax is recognized as revenue in the year for which it is levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year end.

Property tax, intergovernmental revenues (shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments) and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences are recognized as expenditures only when payment is due. Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Under terms of grant agreements, the District funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants and general revenues. Thus, when program expenses are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net assets available to finance the program. It is the District's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, and then general revenues.

The proprietary fund of the District applies all applicable GASB pronouncements as well as the following pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless these pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements: Financial Accounting Standards Board Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins of the Committee on Accounting Procedure.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the District's enterprise fund is charges to

customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

The District maintains its financial records on the cash basis. The financial statements of the District are prepared by making memorandum adjusting entries to the cash basis financial records.

D. Assets, Liabilities and Fund Balances

The following accounting policies are followed in preparing the balance sheet:

Cash, Pooled Investments and Cash Equivalents - The cash balances of most District funds are pooled and invested. Investments are stated at fair value except for the investment in the Iowa Schools Joint Investment Trust which is valued at amortized cost and non-negotiable certificates of deposit which are stated at cost.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, all short-term cash investments that are highly liquid are considered to be cash equivalents. Cash equivalents are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and, at the day of purchase, they have a maturity date no longer than three months.

<u>Property Tax Receivable</u> - Property tax in the governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Property tax receivable is recognized in these funds on the levy or lien date, which is the date that the tax asking is certified by the Board of Education. Delinquent property tax receivable represents unpaid taxes for the current and prior years. The succeeding year property tax receivable represents taxes certified by the Board of Education to be collected in the next fiscal year for the purposes set out in the budget for the next fiscal year. By statute, the District is required to certify its budget in April of each year for the subsequent fiscal year. However, by statute, the tax asking and budget certification for the following fiscal year becomes effective on the first day of that year. Although the succeeding year property tax receivable has been recorded, the related revenue is deferred in both the Government-wide and fund financial statements and will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

Property tax revenue recognized in these funds become due and collectible in September and March of the fiscal year with a 1½% per month penalty for delinquent payments; is based on January 1, 2005 assessed property valuations; is for the tax accrual period July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007 and reflects the tax asking contained in the budget certified to the County Board of Supervisors in April, 2006.

<u>Due from Other Governments</u> - Due from other governments represents amounts due from the State of Iowa, various shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments.

<u>Inventories</u> - Inventories are valued at cost using the firstin, first-out method for purchased items and government commodities. Inventories of proprietary funds are recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased or received.

Capital Assets - Capital assets, which include property, machinery and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the Government-wide statement of net assets. Capital assets are recorded at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost in excess of the following thresholds and estimated useful lives in excess of two years.

Asset Class	 Amount
Land	\$ 1,500
Buildings	1,500
Land improvements	1,500
Machinery and equipment:	
School Nutrition Fund equipment	500
Other machinery and equipment	1,500

Property, machinery and equipment are depreciated using the straight line method of depreciation over the following estimated useful lives:

	Estimated
	Useful Lives
Asset Class	(In Years)
Buildings	50 years
Land improvements	20 years
Machinery and equipment	5-20 years

Salaries and Benefits Payable - Payroll and related expenditures for annual contracts corresponding to the current school year, which is payable in July and August, have been accrued as liabilities.

Deferred Revenue - Although certain revenues are measurable, they are not available. Available means collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue in the governmental fund financial statements represent the amount of assets that have been recognized, but the related revenue has not been recognized since the assets are not collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue consists of unspent grant proceeds as well as property tax

receivables and other receivables not collected within sixty days after year end.

Deferred revenue on the statement of net assets consists of succeeding year property tax receivable that will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

Long-term Liabilities - In the Government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the governmental activities column in the Statement of Net Assets.

Fund Balances - In the governmental fund financial statements, reservations of fund balance are reported for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose.

Restricted Net Assets - In the government-wide Statement of Net Assets, net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors or laws and regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

E. Budgeting and Budgetary Control

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Required Supplementary Information.

(2) Cash and Pooled Investments

The District's deposits in bank at June 30, 2007 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

The District is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the Board of Education prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; certain joint investment trusts; and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

The District had investments in the Iowa Schools Joint Investment Trust as follows:

Amortized
Cost
\$ 147,537

Diversified Portfolio

The investments are valued at an amortized cost pursuant to Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

Credit risk. The investments in the Iowa Schools Joint Investment Trust were both rated Aaa by Moody's Investors Service.

(3) Due From and Due to Other Funds

The detail of interfund receivables and payables at June 30, 2007 is as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	 Amount
General	Special Revenue, Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	\$ 16,100
General	Nutrition	\$ 21,050 37,150

(4) Interfund Transfers

The detail of interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2007 is as follows:

Transfer to	Transfer from	 Amount
Debt Service	Capital Projects	\$ 116,285
Private Purpose Trust	Special Revenue, Expendable Trust	10,128
Debt Service	Special Revenue, Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	16,100
Total		\$ 142,513

Transfers generally move revenues from the fund statutorily required to collect the resources to the fund statutorily required to expend the resources.

(5) Iowa School Cash Anticipation Program (ISCAP)

The District participates in the Iowa School Cash Anticipation Program (ISCAP). ISCAP is a program of the Iowa Association of School Boards and is designed to provide funds to participating entities during periods of cash deficits. ISCAP is funded by a semiannual issuance of anticipatory warrants, which mature as noted below. The warrant sizing of each school corporation is based on a projection of cash flow needs during the semiannual period. ISCAP accounts are maintained for each participating entity, and monthly statements are provided regarding their cash balance, interest earnings and amounts available for withdrawal for each outstanding series of warrants. Bankers Trust Co. NA is the trustee for the program. A summary of the District's participation in ISCAP at June 30, 2007 is as follows:

		Final			Accrued		Accrued
	Warrant	Warrant			Interest	Warrants	Interest
Series	Date	Maturity	I	nvestments	Receivable	Payable	Payable
2006-07B	1/26/07	1/25/08	\$	376 , 039	8,487	377,000	7,213
2007-08A	6/28/07	6/27/08		802,730	240	804,000	205
			\$	1,178,769	8,727	1,181,000	7,418

The district pledges its state foundation aid payments and General Fund receipts as security for warrants issued. Repayments must be made when General Fund receipts are received. If a balance is outstanding on the last date the funds are available to be drawn, then the district must repay the outstanding withdrawal from its General Fund receipts. In addition, the district must make minimum warrant repayments on the 25th of each month immediately following the final date that the warrant proceeds may be used in an amount equal to 25% of the warrant amount. No ISCAP advance activity in the General Fund for the year ended June 30, 2007 was noted.

The warrants bear interest and the available proceeds of the warrants are invested at the interest rates shown below:

	Interest	Interest
	Rates on	Rates on
Series	Warrants	Investments
2006-07A	4.500%	5.676%
2006-07B	4.250%	5.315%
2007-08A	4.500%	5.455%

(6) Capital Assets

Capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 is as follows:

	Balance Beginning of Year	Increases	Decreases	Balance End of Year
Business-type activities:				
Machinery and equipment	\$ 133,267	1,499	0	134,766
Less accumulated depreciation	104,057	4,804	0	108,861
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$ 29,210	(3,305)	0	25,905

	Balance Beginning of Year	Increases	Decreases	Balance End of Year
Governmental activities: Capital assets not being depreciated:			·	
Land	\$ 16,772	0	0	16,772
Total capital assets not being depreciated	16,772	0	0	16,772
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings	5,954,079	26,412	0	5,980,491
Land improvements	286,757	110,332	0	397,089
Machinery and equipment	964,248	134,318	45,264	1,053,302
Total capital assets being depreciated	7,205,084	271,062	45,264	7,430,882
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	1,384,657	123,596	0	1,508,253
Land improvements	45,996	19,855	0	65,851
Machinery and equipment	765,412		45,264	748,764
Total accumulated depreciation	2,196,065	172,067	45,264	2,322,868
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	5,009,019	98,995	0	5,108,014
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 5,025,791	98,995	0	5,124,786
Depreciation expense was charged by the Distri	ct as follows:			
Governmental activities:				
Instruction:				
Current			\$	5,000
Support services:				
Administration				5,000
Operation and maintenance of plant				5,000
Transportation				13,616
			_	28,616
Unallocated depreciation			· —	143,451
Total governmental activities depreciation	expense		\$ =	172,067
Business-type activities:				
Food services			\$	4,804
Total business-type activities depreciation	on expense		\$	4,804

(7) Long-Term Liabilities

Changes in long-term liabilities for the year ended June 30, 2007 are summarized as follows:

	 Balance Beginning of Year	Additions	Deletions	Balance End of Year	Due Within One Year
General obligation bonds Revenue bonds Computer loan Early retirement	\$ 3,125,000 25,139 27,860 64,000	0 0 0 77,838	250,000 6,285 13,253 36,000	2,875,000 18,854 14,607 105,838	270,000 6,285 14,607 28,000
Total	\$ 3,241,999	77 , 838	305,538	3,014,299	318,892

General Obligation Bonds

Details of the District's June 30, 2007 general obligation bonded indebtedness are as follows:

Year	Bond Issue of May 1, 2001				Bond Issue of May 1, 2003				Total			
Ending	Interest				Interest							
June 30,	Rates		Principal	Interest	Rates		Principal	Interest	 Principal	Interest	Total	
2008	4.10	%\$	270,000	25,185	***	용 \$		82,880	\$ 270,000	108,065	378,065	
2009	4.20		290,000	14,115	-			82,880	290,000	96,995	386,995	
2010	4.30		45,000	1,935	3.50		170,000	82,880	215,000	84,815	299,815	
2011					3.50		225,000	76,930	225,000	76,930	301,930	
2012					3.50		235,000	69,055	235,000	69,055	304,055	
2013					3.50		245,000	60,830	245,000	60,830	305,830	
2014					3.65		255,000	52,255	255,000	52,255	307,255	
2015					3.65		265,000	42,948	265,000	42,948	307,948	
2016					3.70		280,000	33,275	280,000	33,275	313,275	
2017					3.80		290,000	22,915	290,000	22,915	312,915	
2018					3.90		305,000	11,895	 305,000	11,895	316,895	
Total		\$	605,000	41,235		\$	2,270,000	618,743	\$ 2,875,000	659,978	3,534,978	

Revenue Bonds

On June 1, 2005, the District entered into a local option sales and services tax revenue bond for the playground surfacing project. Details of the District's revenue bond indebtedness as of the end of the fiscal year are as follows:

Year	Во	ond I	Issue of Ju	ne 1, 200	5
Ending	Interest				
June 30,	Rates		Principal	Interest	Total
2008	4.281	용 \$	6,285	807	7,092
2009	4.281		6,285	538	6,823
2010	4.281		6,284	269	6,553
Total		\$	18,854	1,614	20,468

Computer Loan Payable

The District entered into a loan dated May 16, 2006 for the purchase of new computers. Details of the District's loan indebtedness as of the end of the fiscal year are as follows:

Year	Lc	an Is	sue of	May	16,	2006	
Ending	Interest						
June 30,	Rates		Princip	al I	ntere	est	Total
2008	10.25	용 \$	14,6	07	1,4	93 :	16,100

Early Retirement

The District offers a voluntary early retirement plan to its certified employees. Eligible employees must be at least age fifty-five and employees must have completed ten years of continuous service to the District. Employees must complete an application which is required to be approved by the Board of Education. The early retirement incentive for each eligible employee is equal to a \$30 per day of unused sick leave and subject to a maximum of \$4,000 per individual per year. Early retirement benefits paid during the year ended June 30, 2007, totaled \$36,000.

(8) Pension and Retirement Benefits

The District contributes to the Iowa Public Employees Retirement System (IPERS) which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of Iowa. IPERS provides retirement and death benefits which are established by State statute to plan members and beneficiaries. IPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to IPERS, P.O. Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa, 50306-9117.

Plan members are required to contribute 3.70% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 5.75% of annual covered payroll for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006 and 2005. Contribution requirements are established by State statute. The District's contribution to IPERS for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$168,137, \$156,952, and \$147,983, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

(9) Risk Management

Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft; damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by the purchase of commercial insurance. The District assumes liability for any deductibles and claims in excess of coverage limitations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

(10) Area Education Agency

The District is required by the Code of Iowa to budget for its share of special education support, media and educational services provided through the area education agency. The

District's actual amount for this purpose totaled \$168,497 for the year ended June 30, 2007 and is recorded in the General Fund by making a memorandum adjusting entry to the cash basis financial statements.

(11) Deficit Fund Balance

The District had a deficit fund balance in the Physical Plant and Equipment Levy (PPEL) of \$2,885 at June 30, 2007.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPEDITURES AND

CHANGES IN BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

AND PROPRIETARY FUNDS

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

	Governmental	Proprietary				Final to
	Funds	Fund	Total	Budgeted	Amounts	Actual
	Actual	Actual	Actual	Original	Final	Variance
Revenues:						
Local sources	\$ 3,034,531	177,956	3,212,487	3,054,434	3,054,434	158,053
State sources	2,363,543	3,652	2,367,195	2,344,609	2,344,609	22,586
Federal sources	229,470	121,988	351,458	319,225	319,225	32,233
Total revenues	5,627,544	303,596	5,931,140	5,718,268	5,718,268	212,872
Expenditures:						
Instruction	3,306,631	0	3,306,631	3,409,951	3,409,951	103,320
Support services	1,717,241	0	1,717,241	1,682,474	1,932,474	215,233
Non-instructional programs	0	257,972	257,972	285,306	285,306	27,334
Other expenditures	637,618	0	637,618	546,899	696,899	59,281
Total expenditures	5,661,490	257,972	5,919,462	5,924,630	6,324,630	405,168
Excess(deficiency) of revenues						
over(under) expenditures	(33,946)	45,624	11,678	(206, 362)	(606, 362)	618,040
Other financing uses, net	(10,128)	0	(10,128)	0	0	(10,128)
Excess(deficiency) of revenues over(under)						
expenditures and other financing uses	(44,074)	45,624	1,550	(206, 362)	(606, 362)	607,912
Balance beginning of year	964,453	36,240	1,000,693	979,542	979,542	21,151
Balance end of year	\$ 920,379	81,864	1,002,243	773,180	373,180	629,063
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EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - BUDGETARY REPORTING
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

This budgetary comparison is presented as Required Supplementary Information in accordance with <u>Governmental Accounting Standard Board</u> Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the Board of Education annually adopts a budget following required public notice and hearing for all funds, except Private-Purpose Trust and Agency funds. The budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures. The District's budget is prepared on the cash basis. Encumbrances are not recognized on the cash basis budget and appropriations lapse at year end.

Formal and legal budgetary control for the certified budget is based upon four major classes of expenditures known as functions, not by fund or fund type. These four functions are instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenditures. Although the budget document presents function expenditures or expenses by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated functional level, not by fund. The Code of Iowa also provides District expenditures in the General Fund may not exceed the amount authorized by the school finance formula. The District adopted one budget amendment increasing total expenditures by \$400,000.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2007

	_	SI	pecial Rev	enue Funds			Total	
	Physical							Other
		Manage-		Plant and	Total			Nonmajor
		ment	Student	Equipment	Special	Debt	Capital	
	_	Levy	Activity	Levy	Revenue	Service	Projects	Funds
Assets								
Cash and pooled investments	\$	5,592	106,437	12,511	124,540	581	98,153	223,274
Receivables:								
Property tax:								
Current year delinquent		1,649	0	704	2,353	4,789	0	7,142
Succeeding year		102,000	0	37,717	139,717	268,865	0	408,582
Due from other governments	_	0	0	0	0	0	81,373	81,373
Total Assets	\$	109,241	106,437	50,932	266,610	274,235	179,526	720,371
Liabilities and Fund Balances								
Liabilities:								
Interfund payable	\$	0	0	16,100	16,100	0	0	16,100
Accounts payable		0	112	. 0	112	0	0	112
Deferred revenue:								
Succeeding year property tax		102,000	0	37,717	139,717	268,865	0	408,582
Total Liabilities	_	102,000	112	53,817	155,929	268,865	0	424,794
Fund balances:								
Reserved:								
Debt Service		0	0	0	0	5,370	0	5,370
Unreserved		7,241	106,325	-	110,681	0	179,526	290,207
Total fund balances		7,241	106,325	(2,885)	110,681	5,370	179,526	295,577
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Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	109,241	106,437	50,932	266,610	274,235	179,526	720,371

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

		ial Revenue			Total			
			Physical			-		Other
	Manage-		Plant and		Total			Nonmajor
	ment	Student	Equipment	Expendable	Special	Debt	Capital	Governmental
	ГелА	Activity	Levy	Trust	Revenue	Service	Projects	Funds
REVENUES:								
Local sources:								
Local tax	\$ 83,793	0	37,267	0	121,060	253,417	296,553	671,030
Other	8,004	208,159	2,518	0	218,681	673	6,446	225,800
TOTAL REVENUES	91,797	208,159	39,785	0	339,741	254,090	302,999	896,830
EXPENDITURES:								
Current:								
Instruction:								
Regular instruction	28,686	0	0	0	28,686	0	0	28,686
Other instruction	0	211,176	0	0	211,176	0	0	211,176
Support services:								
Administration services	1,218	0	10	0	1,228	- 0	0	1,228
Operation and maintenance								
of plant services	48,889	0	12,042	0	60,931	0	113,309	174,240
Student transportation	15,869	0	0	0	15,869	0	0	15,869
Other expenditures:								
Facilities acquisitions	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,862	77,862
Long-term debt:								
Principal	0	0	0	0	0	269,538	0	269,538
Interest	0	0	0	0	0	121,721	0	121,721
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	94,662	211,176	12,052	0	317,890	391,259	191,171	900,320
EXCESS(DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES								
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(2,865)	(3,017)	27,733	0	21,851	(137,169)	111,828	(3,490)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES(USES):								
Transfers in	0	0	0	0	0	132,385	0	132,385
Transfers out	0	0	(16,100)	(10,128)	(26,228)	0	(116,285)	(142,513)
Total other financing sources(uses)	0	0	(16,100)	(10,128)	(26,228)	132,385	(116, 285)	(10,128)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(2,865)	(3,017)	11,633	(10,128)	(4,377)	(4,784)	(4,457)	(13,618)
FUND BALANCE BEGINNING OF YEAR	10,106	109,342	(14,518)	10,128	115,058	10,154	183,983	309,195
FUND BALANCE END OF YEAR	\$ 7,241	106,325	(2,885)	0	110,681	5,370	179,526	295,577

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN SPECIAL REVENUE FUND, STUDENT ACTIVITY ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

Schedule 3

		Balance		_	Balance	
		eginning		Expendi-	End	
Account	(of Year	Revenues	tures	of Yea	
Drama	\$	78	3,793	3,140	73:	
Friends of the Arts		6,490	3,230	3,058	6,66	
ED-CO Partners		2,188	3,378	3,995	1,57	
Track		0	6,770	6,543	22	
Golf		0	397	372	2.	
Boys Basketball		1,121	4,116	2,425	2,81	
Boys Basketball Fundraising		235	1,381	703	91	
Football		2,576	7,961	4,860	5,67	
Baseball		0	2,324	2,095	22	
Wrestling		358	1,260	1,243	37	
Wrestling fundraiser		10	0	0	1	
Girls Basketball		2,503	4,615	3,635	3,48	
Volleyball Fundraiser		3,144	9,678	7,965	4,85	
Volleyball rundraiser		123	2,426	2,357	19	
Softball		3	2,083	1,393	69	
Softball Fundraising		647	3,201	200	3,64	
Elem. Perrinjaquet Asst.		1,418	167	0	1,58	
Perrinjaquet Assistance		4,305	0	1.6	4,28	
Perrinjaquet Income		19	0	19	-,	
HS Supplies		1,174	445	449	1,17	
Elem. Activities		13,301	13,027	22,109	4,21	
Concessions		6,988	11,875	16,581	2,28	
Post Prom		3,026	11,372	12,039	2,35	
Elem. Fundraising		0,020	28,913	28,913	2,00	
Envir. First Grant/FFA		1,649	0	0	1,64	
Cheerleading		687	1,749	2,041	39	
FFA		4,300	24,831	24,609	4,52	
Spanish Club		1,623	5,241	5,325	1,53	
FFA CD		2,321	78	0	2,39	
HS Student Council		1,186	575	567	1,19	
Class of 2007		3,332	923	4,255	1,13	
Class of 2007		6,830	0	3,420	3,41	
Class of 2009		6,162	0	43	6,11	
Class of 2010		4,596	0	43	4,55	
Class of 2011		3,561	6,336	5,208	4,68	
Class of 2012		0	7,146	3,278	3,86	
Athletics General		242	5,503	5,568	17	
HS Art Club		110	5,064	4,870	30	
JH Student Council		270	93	118	24	
Yearbook		19,556	16,430	16,311	19,67	
		2,561	9,405	8,783	3,18	
F.B.L.A.		42	468	458	5,10	
Athletic Supplies		0	479	566	(8	
Band student purchase					(24	
Band Resale Band Fundraising		(150) 757	1,326 100	1,422 181	67	
Dana runarataing		751	T 0 0	101		
Total	\$	109,342	208,159	211,176	106,32	

SEE ACCOMPANYING INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Schedule 4

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF REVENUES BY SOURCE AND EXPENDITURES BY FUNCTION ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS

		Modified Accrual Basis						
	Years Ended June 30,							
	_	2007	2006	2005	2004			
Revenues:								
Local sources:								
Local tax	\$	1,938,919	1,813,901	1,913,747	1,783,513			
Tuition		728,093	586 , 667	502,505	478,385			
Other		367,519	381,038	308,499	319,185			
State sources		2,363,543	2,237,613	2,096,722	2,133,576			
Federal sources		229,470	293,486	300,814	222,504			
Total	\$	5,627,544	5,312,705	5,122,287	4,937,163			
Expenditures:								
Current:								
Instruction:								
Regular instruction	\$	2,149,016	1,995,453	1,847,168	1,727,156			
Special instruction		629,351	624,870	615,222	589,104			
Other instruction		528,264	494,560	500,319	414,213			
Support services:								
Student services		121,225	126,475	142,973	110,208			
Instructional staff services		116,857	176,521	93,179	131,528			
Administration services		572,646	557,427	525 , 863	676,436			
Operation and maintenance of plant services		550,263	458,005	341,650	433,954			
Transportation services		356,250	316,373	241,271	273,619			
Non-instructional programs		0	0	1,000	2,942			
Other expenditures:								
Facilities acquisitions		77,862	92,269	162,094	2,116,448			
Long-term debt:								
Principal		269,538	236,285	235,000	215,000			
Interest		121,721	127,265	137,171	152,210			
AEA flow-through	_	168,497	162,305	161,081	164,446			
Total	\$	5,661,490	5,367,808	5,003,991	7,007,264			

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Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and
on Compliance and Other Matters

Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with
Government Auditing Standards

To the Board of Education of the Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents, and have issued our report thereon dated March 14, 2008. We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the effectiveness of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's internal control over financial reporting.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be significant deficiencies and other deficiencies we consider to be material weaknesses.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of the control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood a misstatement of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's internal control. We consider the deficiencies in internal control described in Part I of the accompanying Schedule of Findings to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies that results in more than a remote likelihood a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's internal control.

Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all significant deficiencies that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, of the significant deficiencies described above, we believe item I-A-07 is a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>. However, we noted certain immaterial instances of non-compliance or other matters that are described in Part II of the accompanying Schedule of Findings.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the District's operations for the year ended June 30, 2007 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during our audit of the financial statements of the District. Since our audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's responses to findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings. While we have expressed our conclusions on the District's responses, we did not audit Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District's responses and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

This report, a public record by law, is intended solely for the information and use of the officials, employees and citizens of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District and other parties to whom Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District may report, including federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities. This report is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to us by personnel of Edgewood-Colesburg Community School District during the course of our audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, we shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

NOLTE, CORNMAN & JOHNSON, P.C.

March 14, 2008

EDGEWOOD-COLESBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

Part I: Findings Related to the Basic Financial Statements:

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were reported.

SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES:

I-A-07 Segregation of Duties - One important aspect of internal control is the segregation of duties among employees to prevent an individual employee from handling duties which are incompatible. Cash receipts are issued and bank deposits are prepared by the same person. An independent person does not open the mail and prepare an initial listing of the checks received and later compare the listing to the receipts issued. Also, vouchers are processed, disbursements are recorded, and checks are prepared by the same person.

<u>Recommendation</u> - We realize segregation of duties is difficult with a limited number of office employees. However, the District should review its procedures to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances.

<u>Response</u> - We will continue to review our procedures and implement additional controls where possible.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

I-B-07 Payroll Procedures - We noted during our audit that the District is not keeping track of hours worked for coaches who are non-certified staff.

Recommendation - In compliance with the Department of Labor requirements on wage per hour contracts, the District needs to keep track of the hours worked for non-certified staff coaches, and determine that the wage paid is in compliance with minimum wage requirements as well as any overtime issues.

Response - We have already implemented and are recording the time that they spend.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

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Part II: Other Findings Related to Required Statutory Reporting

- II-A-07 <u>Certified Budget</u> District disbursements for the year ended June 30, 2007 did not exceed the amount budgeted.
- II-B-07 <u>Questionable Disbursements</u> We noted no disbursements that may not meet the requirements for public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979.
- II-C-07 <u>Travel Expense</u> No expenditures of District money for travel expenses of spouses of District officials or employees were noted. No travel advances to District officials or employees were noted.
- II-D-07 <u>Business Transactions</u> Business transactions between the District and District officials or employees are detailed as follows:

Name, Title and Business Connection	Transaction Description	Amount	
Randy Mescher, Board Member Owner of Edgewood Building Center	Supplies	\$	2,279
Joan Kerns, Board Member Spouse Co-Owner of Edgewood Locker	Supplies	\$	7,327

In accordance with the Attorney General's opinion dated November 9, 1976, the above transaction with the spouse of the Board Member does not appear to represent a conflict of interest.

In accordance with Chapter 279.7A of the Code of Iowa, the above transaction with the Board Member does not represent a conflict of interest.

- II-E-07 <u>Bond Coverage</u> Surety bond coverage of District officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to insure that the coverage is adequate for current operations.
- II-F-07 <u>Board Minutes</u> We noted no transactions requiring Board approval which have not been approved by the Board.
- II-G-07 <u>Certified Enrollment</u> We noted no variances in the basic enrollment data certified to the Department of Education.
- II-H-07 <u>Deposits and Investments</u> We noted no instances of non-compliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa and the District's investment policy.
- II-I-07 <u>Certified Annual Report</u> The Certified Annual Report was filed with the Department of Education timely and we noted no significant deficiencies in the amounts reported.
- II-J-07 <u>Financial Condition</u> The District had a deficit fund balance of \$2,885 in the Special Revenue, Physical Plant and Equipment Levy Fund.

<u>Recommendation</u> - The District should investigate alternatives to eliminate deficits in order to return these funds to a sound financial condition.

<u>Response</u> - The deficit in the PPEL fund is money borrowed from the General Fund and will be paid back with PPEL tax dollars.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

II-K-07 <u>Electronic Check Retention</u> - Chapter 554D.114 of the Code of Iowa allows the District to retain cancelled checks in an electronic format and requires retention in this manner to include an image of both the front and back of each cancelled check. The District retains cancelled checks through electronic image, but does not obtain an image of the back of each cancelled check as required.

<u>Recommendation</u> - The District should obtain and retain an image of both the front and back of each cancelled check in the Nutrition Fund as required.

 $\underline{Response}$ - We have already contacted the appropriate banks.

<u>Conclusion</u> - Response accepted.